

Hana no Saku Koro

Chapter 02

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Every year,
they fall.

produce
new leaves

and then
they fall

the same
cherry blossom
will be there
every year

cherry
blossom

equation

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My
cheeks
burn every
time you
touch
me

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*Hana no
Sukuhikoro*
When the Flower Blossoms

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SEE YOU
AGAIN.

BYE!



I CAN'T
DENY IT.

YOU'RE
ALL TOO
NICE!

OVER.

EVERY
SINGLE
ONE!



I'VE
WORKED YOU
UPSIDE.

REMEMBER,
YOU'RE JUST
A DELIVERY
MAN.

YOU
DIDN'T
GET TOO
INVOLVED.

AN OUTSIDER.

OH.

WAG!

WAG!

IT WOULD
BE BEST IF
YOU KEEP
THAT IN
MIND.





I THINK
YOU'RE THE
OUTSIDER

IN THAT
CASE,

KIDD...

WE'RE NOT
DOING ANY
TERRIBLE
ABOUT YOU

WE'RE SIMPLY
PLAYING WITH
YOU LIKE THE
FAVORITE
TOY...

THE
FEELING
WAS
TOO LONG

IT'S TIME
MY LEAVE
NOW...

DO YOU
UNDER-
STAND?



ALL THE
MEMORIES
OF YOU...





I know
about that already.



So many letters
today too.



They're filled
with feelings
and emotions
for someone.





It's over
without any incident

be pretty

-hug-

I know.

shouldn't
expect
others

Someone
like me

to under-
stand my
feelings







STRANGELY,

I WONDER
HOW...

IT FELT LIKE
I HAD RECEIVED
THAT LETTER.



WHEN IT
CAME TO
HER.

THERE
ARE JUST
SO MANY
THINGS!

I DON'T
KNOW...

I DON'T
KNOW

WHAT AM I
FEELING?

HEAVEN...
HOW ABOUT
I PRAY?

HMM...

SO MANY
THINGS



YOU LIKE
LOVE?

MAKING
YOU'RE
MOVIE.

BUT I
LIKE HER.

HAH



IT'S
ALWAYS FUN
WHEN HE'S
AROUND



PLEASE...



WHOO!

EVERY-
ONE'S
GOIN'



YOU
CAN
DO IT
YOURSELF



WHAT
IS IT?



AND
YOURSELF









DO I

REALLY

TAKE
YOUR

HUNNY!

REDA
SAID THAT
HE LOVES
YOU

Must be
that kind
of "Mr.
husb"

HAVING YOU
ACCOMPLISH A
LOT OF FOR, HE SAID

Those

don't
ask me
about
that...

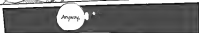
I DON'T
KNOW ANY-
THING ABOUT
RELATION-
SHIPS

AND HIS
SUBJECT

KNOW
ONE OF A
RESEARCHER

JUST
THAT











HEY.

DOOM.

I FIND
THE AFTER-
EFFECTS OF
INTERACTING
WITH YOU

EXTREMELY
INTERESTING
AND EXCITING
I LIKE IT.

BUT YOU
ALWAYS

ABUSE
YOUR
EYES.

BLINDING
ME FROM
YOUR
GUILT.

WHY DO
YOU DO
THAT?

YOU DON'T
"LIEK" ME?

HEAT

PA--

AND
ADDDDD

HURRY
UP

SENT IT
TOO SOON
FOR "BATT"

THIS IS AN
EMERGENCY!
WE'VE GOT
TO HURRY!

WE'VE
GATHERED
ENOUGH
DATA.

IT'S OUR
PRECIOUS
TEST CON-
TACT

BEFORE
IT COM-
PLETELY
DEGRADS
ITSELF



A LETTER?



FOR
YOUR OWN
RESEARCH

"FACTORY"

"BATT"
LETTERS
THE ONLY
FROM TODAY

AND

LAST,

MR. KIDD

HEARD
ME

TO ME
ALREADY?











HELP



"This has
never hap-
pened before."



"He's been
acting strange
lately, what's
wrong?"

Oh...

Um...

Could it be
that he hasn't
fully recovered
yet?"



Yes...

H-HEO!



Can I

touch
you?

Of course



YOUR
FACE...

IT'S
BURNING.



RESULT

DE--



I think
it's the
best
thing
ever.

I WANT TO
APPROACH
THE NEW
DISH

AS SOON AS
POSSIBLE!

GOYAKU
ENJOYING
FOR TODAY!



I'M SORRY



HAIR

YOUNG
THAT'S ALL
BUT
EXCUSE ME?



NO PROBLEM



I'LL
TAKE MY
LEAVE
THEN



THANK
YOU FOR THE
DELIVERY

OH?







TO BE CONTINUED